

June 25, 2010

# PUBLIC LISTENING SESSION ON THE PRESIDENT'S AMERICA'S GREAT OUTDOORS INITIATIVE IN ANNAPOLIS, MD

#### **GENERAL SESSION**

#### 12:00 Registration table open

#### 1:00 Welcome and Introductory Remarks

- Ken Salazar, Secretary of the Interior
- Welcome, Governor Martin O'Malley
- Remarks by Other Principals
  - o Bob Perciaseppe, Deputy Administrator, EPA
  - o Harris Sherman, Under Secretary, USDA

#### America's Great Outdoors Video

# 1:35 Panel Discussion, Moderated by Ken Salazar, Secretary of the Interior - Sharing Examples of Innovative Land Conservation, Recreation & Citizen Stewardship and thoughts on the challenges to expanding them

- Robert Etgen, Executive Director, Eastern Shore Land Conservancy
- Pennsylvania panelist [in process]
- Chris Miller, President, Piedmont Environmental Council; Treasurer, Journey Through Hallowed Ground Partnership
- Annette Gantt, President and CEO, Earth Conservation Corps
- Jacqueline M. Carrera, President & CEO, Parks & People Foundation
- **2:30** Introduction to Break-out Groups Will Shafroth, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Fish, Wildlife and Parks

### 2:35 Movement to Rooms

# 2:45 Facilitated Break-out Sessions Begin Organized by topic area:

- Open space and working lands conservation
- Recreation and public access
- Citizen stewardship, including youth and environmental education

## 4:30 Adjourn